**Shutdown Shortcut Contributed by Dennis Roberts**

Short Version…

RC Desktop> New> Shortcut

In first window enter

“shutdown -s -t 0”

Hit next and enter name “shutdown” then finish

RC on shortcut icon>Properties

Select shortcut key box

Press “Ctrl, Alt, END”

Long Version…

1. Right click on your desktop. Go to new, and then click on shortcut.

2. A window comes up. Type in “shutdown” (without quotes) add a space and enter one of the following commands.

OPTIONAL INFORMATION------------------------------------------

Usage: shutdown [-i | -l | -s | -r | -a] [-f] [-m [\\computername](https://mail.graniteschools.org/owa/redir.aspx?C=49e86077c40a4fe39e39297c0ae9e59f&URL=file%3a%2f%2f%2f%5c%5ccomputername" \t "_blank)] [-t xx] [-c "comment"] [-d up:xx:yy]

-i Display GUI interface, must be the first option

-l Log off (cannot be used with -m option)

-s Shutdown the computer

-r Shutdown and restart the computer

-a Abort a system shutdown

-m [\\computername](https://mail.graniteschools.org/owa/redir.aspx?C=49e86077c40a4fe39e39297c0ae9e59f&URL=file%3a%2f%2f%2f%5c%5ccomputername" \t "_blank) Remote computer to shutdown/restart/abort

-t xx Set timeout for shutdown to xx seconds

-c "comment" Shutdown comment (maximum of 127 characters)

-f Forces running applications to close without warning

-d [u][p]:xx:yy The reason code for the shutdown

u is the user code

p is a planned shutdown code

xx is the major reason code (positive integer less than 256)

yy is the minor reason code (positive integer less than 65536)

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2. A good example of a shutdown line would read as follows:

“shutdown -s -t 0”   (of course, without the quotes)

This tells the computer to run the shutdown program, and to shutdown the computer (marked by –s). The timer is set to zero, which will shut down the computer instantly (marked by –t 0)

3. After you have created your customized shutdown command, click next. Enter a name for it and hit finish

4. Right click on the new desktop shortcut and go to properties.

5. Note where it says “Shortcut Key”. Enter your combination here. I recommend “Ctrl, Alt, END”, but the choice is purely up to you.

6. Click OK. Your shutdown string is now effective! Just hit that key combination and your computer is off!

Happy Tweaking!